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TRAINING OFFICERS MEETING

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25 Feb 54

NO CHANGE in Class. ☐

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Class. CHANGED TO: TS S (C)

DDA Memo, 4 Apr 77

Auth: DDA REG. 77/1763

Date: 6 Feb 78 By: 822

Attendance:

Mr. Baird, D/TR

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██████████ will attend the next three training officers meetings as TSS representative in the absence of ██████████

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1. ██████████ briefly discussed the proposed ██████████ Operations Course and submitted an outline of the principal elements of this program for consideration by members of the committee. Following a brief discussion it was decided that the first presentation of this course will begin on 5 April and end 30 April 1954. It was also decided that the second running of this program will be given during the period 31 May to 25 June 1954. It was agreed that ██████████ will be given specific comments by the senior training officers, FI, PP, PM, on his proposed course outline no later than 26 Feb and that these comments will be made directly to him. It was noted that this outline incorporates the previous suggestions made by ██████████ Training Officer.

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2. Frequency of Meetings

The question was raised with the training officers, FI, PP, PM, as to whether they felt these weekly meetings serve a useful purpose; or, whether it would be more desirable to hold these meetings on a less frequent scale. It was unanimously agreed that the weekly meeting should continue and the Director of Training stated that he was very glad to receive this comment, since he feels that these meetings serve a useful purpose from the standpoint of the Office of Training. There was some discussion concerning desirability of including division training officers at these meetings.

It was generally agreed that this would be a very desirable step toward establishing closer liaison with the operating divisions.

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half of the group of eight division training officers for alternate meetings, the other half for the intervening meetings of the committee.

3. Special Course by TSS:

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█████ gave a brief outline of a special course which has been developed by TSS and requested comments as to the Agency's need for training of this type. Divergent views were expressed as to requirements for this type of training; however, it was generally concluded that a program of this kind might serve a very useful purpose for selected personnel whose overseas duties might subject them as targets of opposition forces. █████ was invited to attend the division training officers meeting conducted by the Clandestine Services Training Committee to discuss this program.

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The question whether this course should be announced by the Office of Training or the Technical Services Staff was not resolved.

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██████████ stated that he will be very interested in enrolling a member of his staff at such time as this course is offered.

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██████████, Chief, Project Training Division, also indicated interest in a program of this kind as a possible adjunct to the training for covert trainees.

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5. Comment on [REDACTED] Training

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D/TR commented on the recent lack of coordination with respect to the [REDACTED] Training Program. He requested that AC/PRS prepare a brief memorandum to the D/TR, DD/TR and all staff and division chiefs indicating that all training requests received from operating offices be referred to the appropriate senior training officer in DD/P if such had not already been accomplished.

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1. Frequency of Meetings

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2. [REDACTED] Program [REDACTED]

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(a) 5 Apr - 30 Apr

(b) 24 May - 18 Jun
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3. Special Course by TSS [REDACTED]

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4. Covert Training [REDACTED]

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